

# COUNTY OF YORK

## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** April 8, 2005 (BOS Mtg. 05/17/05)

**TO:** York County Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** James E. Barnett, County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Board Salary Increases

The attached ordinance, if adopted by the Board, would allow the board to raise salaries for Board members to the amount currently authorized by § 15.2-1414.3 of the Code of Virginia. That section allows a county board to adopt an ordinance between May 1 and June 30 of any year to raise basic salaries for board members to a maximum amount (in the case of York County) of \$9,000.00, plus an additional \$1,800.00 for the board chair and an additional \$1,200.00 for the board vice-chair. The Board's current salaries of \$7,000.00 and \$8,800.00 for the Chair were established in 2000.

For your information, there is another procedure available to the Board, but only in Board election years, by which a board can establish whatever maximum salary it desires (not limited to the limits provided by § 15.2-1414.3), but no such increase could take effect until January 1 of the next year.

As required by statute, the proposed ordinance has been advertised for a public hearing.

Also attached is Resolution R05-81, which appropriates the necessary funds out of the General Fund.

Barnett/3340:swh

Attachments

- Resolution R05-81
- Ordinance No. 05-10